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Web of Science (WOS), a web-based
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SCI Expanded via WOS has several advantages over other SCI search engines. All authors are searchable in Web of Science, and the number of times cited is listed. WOS provides access to 2,000 more journals than SCI's print and CD-ROM versions. In addition, WOS provides direct exporting of search results into Reference

Manager and ProCite.

Timely access to **recent literature** is a particular strength of SCI Expanded. Incorporating Current Contents, the database is updated weekly, with a 3-week delay between a journal issue's receipt at the Institute for Scientific Information and its inclusion in the database.

PORPOISE: Companion to WOS

Web of Science's companion current awareness system,
PORPOISE, customizes this up-to-date access for delivery to

users. Developed by DCRT to replace its Current Contents and Reference Update automated search services, POR-POISE delivers weekly e-mail

individual

literature updates of SCI to your desktop. With PORPOISE, you can create a profile that will search for an author, a topic of interest to you, or the table of contents of a journal.

Each week you will receive references from the latest week's update that fit your search criteria. Results can be sent to you in a format suitable for importing into bibliographic management software, HTML format, or text formats that can be expanded to include an abstract, author address or other fields included in a SCI record. Once created, profiles can be edited or deleted.

For more helpful hints on using PORPOISE visit the WOS web site or call the NIH Library at 6-1080.

Loansome Doc Now Available in PubMed

NLM has added the Loansome Doc ordering feature to PubMed. You can now search PubMed as well as Internet Grateful Med, mark up to 10 documents per business day for delivery, and electronically submit the document delivery requests to the NIH

NLM Will No Longer Update Grateful Med Software

Use the World Wide Web search interfaces Internet Grateful Med or PubMed at http://www.nlm.nih.gov to search MEDLINE and other National Library of Medicine web-based databases. Access to Internet Grateful Med and PubMed is free and no password is required.

NLM is no longer updating DOS, Mac, and Windows Grateful Med and, along with command searching, will retire these search interfaces in the near future.

If you are still using DOS, Mac, or Windows Grateful Med, be aware that the MEDLINE files have been reconfigured and you can no longer access MEDLINE records for 1993–1994.

We strongly urge all NIH staff using DOS, Mac, and Windows Grateful Med or command searching to switch to PubMed or Internet Grateful Med.

Need Help? Call our helpline at 496-1080.



Setting your Sites

...on Pharmaceutical Information

The McGoogan Library of Medicine at the University of Nebraska Medical Center has put together the **Selected Internet Resources for Pharmacists**, a large list of connections to pharmaceutical information. Connections available include directories of pharmacy-related sites, government information sites, patient information, professional associations, and commercial websites of interest to pharmacists. A unique feature of this site is the "Pharmacy & the Internet Practice Exercises" that explains the types of questions which Internet resources can answer best.

Access: http://www.unmc.edu/~tarndt/netpharm.html

Library.

You must have a Loansome Doc "ordering library ID," available from the NIH Library, and a system user ID and password (see below). Obtain an "ordering library ID" by filling out the Loansome Doc request form located on the Library's home page (http:// nihlibrary.nih.gov) or by calling 496-2184 to request a registration form.

You will also need a system user ID and password if you want to order documents using the Loansome Doc ordering system.

If you already have a user ID and password and have been using the Loansome Doc feature in the past year, you can use the same passwords in PubMed or Internet Grateful Med.

If you do not have a password or if your password is not working, you need to register in PubMed or

Internet Grateful Med for a password.

To register, access PubMed or Internet Grateful Med, perform a search, select at least one document, click on the Order button, and select Register Now. You may assign your own ID and password, which will work in either PubMed or Internet Grateful Med

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Access to Non-Web Based NLM **Databases**

Access to Cancerlit, Bioethicsline, Toxline or one of the other NLM databases not yet available over the web is still available through the Grateful Med software. For access you will need another password that is different from the password that you can obtain through Internet Grateful Med or PubMed.

This password is available from the NIH Library but will only be issued to NIH staff who need to use one of the NLM files not yet available over the web.

Confused? Call 496-1080.

Requesting an Article from the Web Catalog: A Reminder

Ordering an article from the web catalog? Do not forget the final step or your request will not be processed.

Follow these steps: type in the title you wish to order. When the record appears, scroll to the bottom of the screen and select "Request item" link, then fill in the online request form and select the button "Submit above information." On the final screen, select the button "Request Selected Item." You will then see the confirmation statement that your request has been sent to the Library.

The NIH Library's 1998 spring seminar schedule may be found at http://nihlibrary.nih. gov/framesem.htm.

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